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Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

THREE-MONTH REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Dear Sir:

Applicant respectfully requests a three-month extension of time to respond to the final Office action of July 31, 2009 in the above-identified application.

The three month extension fee of \$1,110.00 will be paid by credit card with this electronic transmission. The commissioner is authorized to charge any deficiencies in fees or credit any overpayments to our Deposit Account No. 06-2425.

Respectfully submitted,

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